

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Alain LAGRANGE et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1751
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Application No.: 10/715,839	)	Examiner: E. Elhilo
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Filed: November 19, 2003	)	
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For: USE OF LATENT PIGMENTS	)	Confirmation No.: 3618
DYEING, COMPOSITION	)	
CONTAINING THE SAID	)	<b>Mail Stop - RCE</b>
PIGMENTS AND PROCESSES	)	
USING THEM	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Further to the Notice of Appeal filed February 27, 2007, and in reply to the Final Office Action dated August 31, 2006, Applicants respectfully request continued examination of this application in view of the amendments and remarks set forth herein. The present paper satisfies the requirement for a "Submission" to accompany the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 filed herewith. The RCE and this submission are timely filed in view of the Petition for Extension of Time and fee filed concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.